

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: USUI, Kazuo et al. Conf.:  
Appl. No.: NEW Group:  
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For: METHOD FOR SETTING DETERMINATION  
CONDITIONS USED FOR DETERMINING  
WHETHER MOLDED PRODUCT IS NON-  
DEFECTIVE OR DEFECTIVE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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November 6, 2003

Sir:

The following preliminary amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This amendment includes  
Amendments to the Specification  
Claim Set as Amended  
Remarks.